

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANTS :** Bergmann *et al.*

**APPLICATION NO. :** 10/511,758

**EXAMINER :** Christina Borgeest

**FILING DATE :** May 25, 2005

**ART UNIT :** 1649

**TITLE :** METHOD FOR DIAGNOSING INFLAMMATORY DISEASES AND INFECTIONS BY  
THE DETERMINATION OF LASP-1 IMMUNOREACTIVITY

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed March 21, 2007 in the above-referenced case, please enter the following amendments and consider all remarks prior to further examination of the application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4.